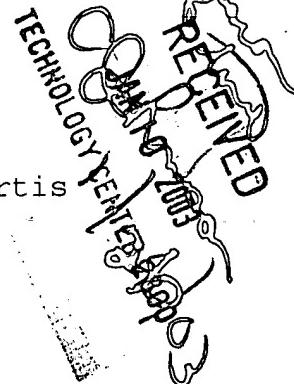




IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of )  
Shojoiro Kawakami et al )  
Serial No. 09/762,497 ) Art Group: 2872  
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for filing of the Response in the above-entitled application for three months from **October 2, 2002** to **January 2, 2002**.

Applicant submits herewith a check in the amount of Four Hundred and Sixty Five Dollars (\$465) which covers the Extension of Time Fee Required by 37 C.F.R. 1.17.

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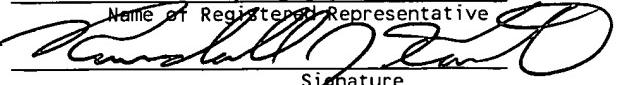
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